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For: PROTECTING CONTENTS OF COMPUTER DATA FILES FROM SUSPECTED INTRUDERS BY RENAMING AND HIDING DATA FILES SUBJECTED TO INTRUSION

Enclosed are:

Patent Specification and Declaration  
 4 sheets of drawing(s).  
 An assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation (includes Recordation Form Cover Sheet).  
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